

**THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA
AT CLARKSBURG**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

v.

CRIMINAL ACTION NO. 1:21CR62

THOMAS REED RATLIFF

NOTICE OF APPEAL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the defendant in the above-captioned case, Thomas Reed Ratliff, by his counsel, Brendan S. Leary, Assistant Federal Public Defender, hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit from the judgment of the United States District Court entered on December 1, 2022.

Mr. Ratliff, being without funds and previously having been deemed indigent under the provisions of the Criminal Justice Act, respectfully requests the appointment of counsel to prosecute this appeal.

DATED this 13th day of December 2022.

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 13, 2022, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to the following:

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